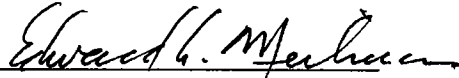


**REMARKS**

The foregoing amendment is being made to avoid any possibility that the claims can be construed to include a crystalline sweetener other than isomaltulose.

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